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O'CONNELL

Declares Pacification of Ireland Essential to Unity of the Empire.

Ulster Must Not Stand in Way of March of the Entire Nation.

Ireland One and Indivisible Has Ever Been Dream of Her Children.

COUNTRY WANTS ONLY FREEDOM

Sir John O'Connell, a descendant of the famed Daniel O'Connell, replying to a "distinguished Ulster historian," begins by presenting views on "the claim of Ireland to be governed by Irishmen assembled in an Irish Parliament sitting at Dublin." He turns to the war as reflecting directly upon the Irish question and comments upon the action of the British colonies in sending men and resources to help England fight, and asks:

"Why is it that these young, free, liberty-loving, self-governing States, setting aside the overwhelming claims on them to relax no effort to develop their own resources, to push on their attack on the elemental forces of nature, have with one accord sent their young men to fight the battles of freedom on the plains of Flanders? And why is it that the most freedom-loving nation in the world counts among the best of her sons those who will take no part or act in this struggle? The answer is that freedom has been given to Canada, to Newfoundland, to New Zealand, to Australia, to South Africa and it has been denied to Ireland. Freedom for herself is the price that Ireland asks before she will take part in this war."

Sir John states that it is to be remembered that Ireland is well represented in the British armies, but insists that "until Ireland enjoys the same rights of self-government which have made the colonies contented and loyal members of the imperial family, Ireland must remain a source of weakness and of possible danger to the imperial assemblage of States.

"It is therefore," he argues, "a matter of the most urgent importance for the peace and development of the imperial system—for the consolidation and development of the empire as a whole—that Ireland should have now and at once conferred upon her the same forms of government which the great self-governing dominions enjoy. Ireland bases this claim on many and widely different grounds. She bases it on the ground that she is a distinct and ancient nation, on the ground that having had her own Parliament, she was deprived of it and that the union was brought about by methods which vitiated and rendered void the whole transaction; that ever since the union the impossibility of discharging the obligations of legislation and administration, assumed by England, has become more manifest; that the Government does not represent and does not satisfy any section of the Irish people; that the administration is extravagant, wasteful, inefficient; that the economic differences between the condition of an industrial community like England and an agricultural community like Ireland are such as to render legislation enacted in England impossible of application to both countries, and finally that the intimate feeling and appreciation of Irishmen for the needs and circumstances of their own country is an essential condition for wise economic and appropriate legislation, and that no legislation by any assembly outside Ireland and not composed of Irishmen, however well-intentioned, can offer any satisfactory solution of this problem."

After enlarging upon these grounds of Ireland's claim Sir John writes:

"What then does Ireland want? I answer in one word, Freedom! For this there is no substitute which a self-respecting people will ever accept. The right to order their own lives, to shape their own destiny, to mold their own future along the lines and on the principles which their hearts and consciences teach them to be just, this is the inalienable right of a free people, this is and has always been the claim of Ireland.

"After the incessant struggles of over a century the heart and soul of Ireland are weary—they are most profoundly anxious to have their long-pressed demand settled and, above all, settled in so full a measure as will render the reopening of the question for all time unnecessary and will give Ireland peace. But it must be peace with honor, the honor of a free, self-governing State. The contentment of Ireland, the approval of the great, freedom-enjoying peoples of the self-governing dominions, the good-will of the Irish race in the United States, in Canada, in the Australasian continent, are considerations of immeasurable value to Great Britain and to the entire imperial fabric. The measure of this good-will will be the contentment of Ireland.

"I come back to the question, What does Ireland want? Ireland believes that the freedom which she desires will best be secured for her by a Parliament consisting of the King, to be represented in Ireland by a Governor, a Senate, and a House of Commons elected by the men and women of Ireland on the basis of adult suffrage."

Going into the details of home rule, Sir John writes: "There are two conditions essential to any measure of home rule in order that it may be acceptable to the people of Ireland. The first is that the Parliament of Ireland shall represent every part, and its powers shall extend over every acre of this country; the second is that it shall have complete, unfettered and absolute control over its fiscal system. Ireland, one, entire, indivisible, has ever been the dream of her sons. Today, for the sake of Great Britain and of the empire, that dream must be made a reality. At whatsoever sacrifice and in the last resort under whatsoever pressure the few thousands of unreasoning men in Northeast Ulster must be made to understand that, their rights being amply preserved and absolutely safeguarded, they will not be allowed to stand in the way of the march of an entire nation to the fulfillment of national life."

SILVER JUBILEE.

This has been a happy week for the people and pastor of St. Philip Neri's parish, who on Thursday celebrated with solemnity and splendor the silver jubilee of the ordination of the Rev. Oscar Ackermann, their beloved spiritual shepherd. The celebration began with a solemn high mass by the jubilarian, the Right Rev. Bishop O'Donaghue presiding, attended by the Very Rev. James P. Cronin, V. G., and the Very Rev. Pacificus Wintersmith, O. F. M. Also present were the Right Rev. Abbot Obrecht, of Gethsemani, and many local and visiting priest friends of Father Ackermann. The deacon of the mass was the Rev. George Weiss, pastor of St. George's, with the Rev. John Bohlsen, pastor of Holy Trinity at St. Matthews, as subdeacon. Rev. T. H. Reverman, of St. Edward's at Jeffersontown, was the master of ceremonies, and the jubilee sermon, preached by the Rev. George W. Schuhmann, rector of St. John's, was pronounced one of the most eloquent ever heard in the church. An augmented choir with orchestra accompaniment, under the direction of Prof. Winter, with Miss Gertrude Simpson at the organ, sang Schweitzer's mass with great effect. Father Ackermann received many telegrams and messages of congratulations from all parts of this country and from Europe. The celebration will close tomorrow night when a reception by members of the congregation will be held at 8 o'clock, with music, addresses and moving pictures.

BLOOD POISONING FATAL.

The death of Pearce Dodd Trudeau, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Trudeau, 675 South Thirty-ninth street, removes from his home and from the Sacred Heart church a boy of promise and most exemplary character. Only a few days before he fell from a tree at his home and broke his right arm, and blood poisoning set in with fatal results. His death came as a shock to many friends who were unaware of his critical condition. Young Trudeau was a familiar figure at the Sacred Heart church services and his pious and devoted life was a comfort to his parents and friends. The solemn mass of requiem was sung Thursday morning by the Rev. Patrick Walsh, who spoke feelingly of the sincerity of the deceased in all that pertained to his religion. Altar boys and members of the Sacred Heart Sodality were present in large numbers to breathe a prayer for the repose of his soul. In addition to his parents the boy is survived by two brothers, Julius and William E. Trudeau, Jr., and three sisters, Misses Lullian, Louise and Julien Trudeau.

APPROVED BY CARDINAL.

The work of the New York Chapter of the Knights of Columbus in providing equipment designed for the recreation of Catholic soldiers in training camps was praised by Cardinal Farley in a letter he sent Monday to Edward. A. Arnold, Chairman of the chapter. The Cardinal said he had received from the New York diocese more applications from priests wishing to volunteer as chaplains than was necessary to fill the positions.

"To supply the equipment necessary, if the work of the chaplains in the army is to be effective," said Cardinal Farley's letter, "is a gigantic task, and its successful accomplishment will make the entire nation a debtor to the Knights of Columbus. Experience has demonstrated the indispensable need of effective moral safeguards to save the individual soldier from spiritual ruin, and the armed forces enlisted in the nation's defense from developing into a menace to the health of her future citizens. The priest who accompanies the soldier as guide, companion and friend carries no arms, but he faces all the hardships and dangers of a campaign, and is constantly engaged in fighting an invisible foe, the common enemy of all forces engaged in battle."

CELEBRATION AT ST. ANN'S.

The solemnity of the feast of St. Ann at St. Ann's church will take place Sunday morning with a high mass at 8 o'clock, followed by the blessing with the relic of St. Ann. At the evening devotions, which will take place at 7:30 o'clock, there will be a sermon on St. Ann and blessing with the relic. This is always the occasion for beautiful and impressive ceremonies and attracts people from all over the city.

GIVE THEIR HAIR.

A number of German women have cut off their hair and given it for war purposes. The longer strands are used to make belting for munition factories and the shorter ones are made into felt.

A. O. H.

Big Reunion and Picnic Monday at Phoenix Hill Park.

Will Help Hibernian Fund For Dependents of Country's Soldiers.

Committees Arrange For Greatest and Best Ever Held Here.

WILL REOPEN NEXT SEPTEMBER

The annual reunion and picnic of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, under the auspices of the County Board and the Ladies' Auxiliary, which takes place at Phoenix Hill Park next Monday night, will be the biggest and best ever held if the enthusiasm of the members is any criterion. Energetic committees have been busy perfecting the arrangements and feel confident that the capacity of the park will be fully taxed to accommodate those who will assemble to meet old friends and renew acquaintances formed years ago both in Ireland and here, and at the same time help the Ancient Order fund for the dependents of those who go forth with the Stars and Stripes to fight for their country. Following are the committees named to officiate, and they invite the general public:

Press and Publicity—William M. Higgins, Chairman; John J. Barry, William P. McDonogh, Charles Foley, Lawrence J. Mackey, John Martin.

Lighting and Decorations—Thomas J. Garvey, Chairman; Thomas J. Dolan, Thomas Quinn, Joseph Lynch, Michael Franels, Thomas J. Broderick, John Heenehan.

Finance Committee—James J. McTighe, Chairman; John J. Broderick, Thomas J. Langan, Matt O'Brien, Daniel J. Dougherty, John F. Burke, John T. Keany, Edward Clancy.

Booths and Stands—Mark Ryan, Chairman; Tim O'Leary, Thomas Keenan, Con J. Ford, John Kilkenny, Charles Brown.

Gatekeepers—M. J. McDermott, Chairman; Michael J. Walsh, Pat Begley, Thomas Noone, John Hessian, Sr., Bernard Muldoon, Thomas P. Keegan, Thomas Stevens, Dan O'Keefe, James B. Perry.

German Village—Charles Boyle, Dave J. Reilly, John J. Nelligan, Martin J. Gavin, Lawrence Meaney, Charles J. Finegan.

Dance Hall—Walter "Boots" Murphy, Earl Flynn, Leo Riley, Martin Mullaney, Charles Henry, Carl Flynn, John Scully, Tom Killeen, Irwin Zix, John Dalton, Tim O'Laughlin, Joseph Graney, James Filben, John T. Hogan, Joseph R. Kelly, Henry Maloney.

Wheel of Fortune—Hugh Hourigan, Chairman; George J. Haekemiller, Thomas Callahan, Dennis Crowley, W. J. Baldwin, Walter Grimes.

Reception—State President William J. Connelly, Chairman; County President John H. Hennessy, Hon. Matt O'Doherty, Col. Patrick Callahan, George J. Butler, Edward J. O'Brien, John J. Riley, Thomas J. Lynch, John J. Barry, Thomas W. Tarpey.

Irish Music and Folk Dancing—Daniel McCarthy, Chairman; John E. Browne, Patrick Burke, Lieut. John Maloney, John Holmes, James Curran, Martin Sheehan.

Baby Show Committee—John C. Dorsey, Lieut. Pat Mullen, M. J. O'Laughlin, Edward Byrne, Roger Nohalty.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will have charge of the euchre and lotto as well as the ice cream and supper arrangements, the Executive Committee comprising Mrs. Daniel J. Dougherty, Mrs. John Waterman, Miss Nellie Nolan, Miss Fannie Kennedy, Miss Mary Corcoran and Miss Margaret Hourigan, who will be assisted by a number of sub-committees.

Not only will there be all the joy and entertainment of former reunions, but many new features will be added. Among these will be the euchre and lotto conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m., races, sports and contests for children at 3:30 p. m., and a mammoth baby show at 5 p. m., and for those who desire supper will be served on the grounds. The German Village will be a cool and pleasant spot for the old people, while the younger set will take complete possession of the dance hall. An attraction that will be appreciated will be the Irish music and step dancing under the direction of Daniel McCarthy and a corps who will introduce the old-time jigs, reels and hornpipes as seen on the green in the Emerald Isle. Some decidedly interesting contests are sure to be witnessed and rooting will, of course, be indulged in.

Everybody should be at the reunion and make this a real Irish day.

FATHER DUFFY'S DESIRE.

When the devoted Father Duffy, pastor of the Church of Our Saviour in the Bronx, New York City, was leaving as chaplain of the Irish Sixty-ninth regiment, his parishioners asked him what he would like them to do for him as a testimonial of their esteem. Th pastor, true to the chivalrous sense that should animate the brave heart of a soldier, desired them to build a house for the good Sisters of St. Dominic, who had only a makeshift of a residence.

Turning the night into day with strings of electric light, corps after corps of busy hands volunteered immediately, and showed what unity and piety could perform in building a house before the fighting chaplain of the Sixty-ninth left for the front. Such an occurrence would remind one of the ages of Faith, but when all is said, did not the great St. Dominic, whose life the good Sisters emulate, come from these times when wonders and miracles were wrought as common things.

BASEBALL NIGHT.

Monday night was baseball night at the meeting of Division 4, A. O. H., in Bertrand Hall, the division entertaining with a Dutch lunch following a short business session. Manager "Boots" Murphy brought the following in his party: Earl and Carl Flynn, Charley Henry, Tim O'Loughlin, Jack Dalton, John and Tom Scully, Kenneth McDonald and Charley (King) Foley. William P. McDonogh presided over the social feature and in his introductory remarks told how proud the members were of the team's showing thus far and how doubly grateful they were over the victory over the Bertrand team Sunday. Manager Murphy responded and said that the team had not had any of the breaks thus far and was sure to finish near the top. Short talks were made by all of the players and County President John Hennessy, Division President Tom Lynch, S. J. McElliott, Mark Ryan, Thomas Keenan and Fred Mooney. All of the players paid special tribute to Tom Langan for his enthusiastic rooting, each remarking that with like assistance from the others the team would be unbeatable. Mr. Langan responded with a hearty appeal for support from all and delivered his famous recitation on "It Takes a Lite Sand," which brought down the house. John Holmes gave an exhibition of fancy Irish jig steps and Dave Reilly recited his inimitable "Irish Jubilee," which made a big hit with the guests especially. The team quartetto composed of John and Tom Scully and Earl Flynn and Charley Henry showed that in addition to their baseball ability they had musical talent as well, rendering several pleasing selections. Taken altogether it was a big night in A. O. H. circles, and it will be repeated soon again.

RECENT DEATHS.

Monday morning the funeral of Mrs. Anna Burke, wife of Street Supervisor Alex Burke, was held from St. Patrick's church. Saturday night she succumbed to a stroke of paralysis at her home, 1720 Baird street. One brother, August Mungey, of Dayton, Ohio, survives her.

Wednesday morning the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Rademaker Fitzgerald, for many years a highly esteemed resident of this city, was held from St. Aloysius church. Mrs. Fitzgerald was seventy-three years old and was active until her illness with cancer. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John Sehr, and two sons, Henry G. and John W. Rademaker.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Anne Moriarity, who died of cancer at her home, 124 Bullitt street, were held Monday morning at the Cathedral, where she had for years been a devout communicant. Mrs. Moriarity is survived by her husband, Cornelius Moriarity, and a daughter.

Miss Mary M. Ryan, aged fifty years, passed into eternal rest early Tuesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Johanna Kelley, 945 South Twelfth street, leaving a wide circle of friends who mourn her death. Death resulted from a complication of diseases and was not unexpected. Her funeral was held Thursday morning from St. Louis Bertrand's church.

John T. Gillem, thirty-two years old, who has suffered from tuberculosis for some time past, departed this life Tuesday morning at his home, 2337 Frankfort avenue. Since 1914 he had been a member of the police force and was held in high esteem by his superiors and associates. Left to mourn his death are his wife and two children; two brothers, William and Thomas Gillem, and a sister, Miss Sarah Gillem. His funeral took place Thursday morning from St. Frances of Rome church.

Following an eight weeks' illness Miss Florence Tierney, twenty-three years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Tierney, was called into eternal rest Wednesday night at the family residence, 1312 Highland avenue. Miss Tierney was a young woman who was admired for her many excellent traits of character and was a favorite in her wide circle of acquaintanees. Besides her parents she leaves two sisters and a brother. The funeral will be held this morning from St. Brigid's church.

COLUMBIA ATHLETIC CLUB.

The Columbia Athletic Club has issued invitations for a day of pleasure tomorrow and the meeting of good fellows at the club house, 621 East St. Catherine. It will be in the nature of a stag outing and guests are asked to come early and stay late. The Columbia boys know how to entertain and have a good time.

OFFERS SERVICES.

Attorney George B. Barret, Representative from the First ward, is ever on the alert to do a favor for his constituents. His latest effort is an offer to prepare affidavits free for the young men from his district who were drafted recently and wish to claim exemption. The only requirement is that they come in person to his office, 711 Realty building.

PRIMARY

Only One Week Off With Interest Everywhere Now at Fever Heat.

Prohibition Only Qualification For the Forward League Candidates.

Now Conceded That Selection of McNally Was a Grievous Mistake.

BANDANA CLUB'S BIG OUTING

With the primary but a week off interest in the different contests is now at fever heat, especially on the Democratic side. This is due to the fact that the Haly-Beckhamites, Forward Leaguers and all classes of anti-Stanleyites are using every method to elect State Senators and Representatives antagonistic to the present State administration. The Forward Leaguers have chosen as their candidates men who are prohibitionists first and above all things who will follow their issue blindly. Their ability as representatives is a secondary consideration and their backers care not a whit whether they are capable of representing the taxpayers' interests—their only duty would be to oppose anything Gov. Stanley and the State administration wanted and favor any measure destined to advance the fortunes of the Haly-Beckham machine and the former members of all parties now masquerading under the title of Democratic Forward Leaguers.

In referring to the fever heat interest above, that warmth locally is also tinged with quite an amount of bitterness in several of the leading races. Needless to say all of the bitterness can be traced to the Sheriff's race, and only verifies what was predicted in these columns at the outset. It was pointed out that the selection of a Haly-Beckham man for Sheriff was but flaunting a red flag in the face of the overwhelming majority of Democrats who were unrelenting in their bitterness against Haly and Beckham, in view of Beckham's attitude after his election, supporting prohibition and attempting to foist McChesney on the State as Governor. In addition the men behind Mr. McNally were warned further that their candidate, being an unknown, was but adding insult to injury. This warning was not given for any selfish motive, but only for the sake of aiding in the selection of a ticket in the primary that would be of aid to Charley Cronau in November. The gentlemen who selected McNally could have just as easily selected a candidate not allied with Haly and Beckham, and it was not too late to change when, in voicing the opinion of thousands, objection was made in these columns.

All of the bitterness engendered in the primary can be traced ot the selection of Mr. McNally, and the foundation of the Brumleve faction traced to the same source. There are not ten Democrats in the city supporting McNally who are doing so willingly, and this is especially true in the police and fire department and among the city employes, who realize that the future of Haly, Beckham or McNally will not be injured if the Democratic ticket is beaten in November, but they justly rebel at the idea of their jobs being placed in jeopardy for the sake of guaranteeing Beckham another term in the Senate. This also applies to the present array of Deputy Sheriffs, who could have been spared needless expense and worry if a stronger candidate had been selected, and their ill feeling should not be directed at the men supporting Senator Robertson, but at McNally's backers, who defiantly selected him despite his connection with the Haly-Beckham combination. It is now conceded that only a miracle can save him from defeat, and without Woodruff in the race (his supporters being all anti-Haly-Beckham) it would be a landslide for Robertson.

Brumleve and his backers have now fallen back on the last straw in the campaign and that is a plea for sympathy. Unable to get an audience again because of his mud-slinging and grand jury fizzle, Brumleve now appears at big Cronan rallies and asks to speak (hoping he will be refused), and if the Chairman won't vary from the set programme carries his plea for sympathy to the Republican press. All predict that Harry Leachman and Ed Early will lead Brumleve in that camp. Several of the Brumleve supporters who are loyal Democrats and will be found in line after the primary repudiate his tactics and that of the mud-slinging. To this class and the big majority who are supporting Cronan it is not necessary to deny the wild assertions and charges made against Col. Jim Whallen and Col. Frank McGrath, these gentlemen having given the best years of their life on the Democratic firing line, and nothing these detractors or soreheads can say will subtract from or injure their record in the minds of the bulk of Democracy and all fair-minded citizens.

The last but not least big event in Democratic circles will take place at Klondyke Camp tomorrow when the Bandana Club will hold its annual jollification. Candidates, their relatives, friends, supporters and all will be on hand. Anyone who doesn't have a good time is invited to take it out on the committee, composed of John Gruber, Tom O'Mara (who can say no), Will Connelly, Barney Campbell and Ed Huecbtker.

PLANNING FOR CAMPAIGN.

Plans for the Knights of Columbus campaign for gathering of funds for the promotion of the order's recreation, social and religious center at Camp Taylor are being laid. The campaign promises to be successful, and Louisville Knights anticipate favorable returns in comparison with those in other cities. The campaign was delayed in Louisville owing to unavoidable causes, but the preparations being made insure complete success. A committee consisting of Grand Knight John P. Cassilly, Eugene J. Cooney, Vice Chairman of the Catholic Conservation Council, and Joseph A. Fuegelein was appointed on general arrangements. An Executive Committee has also been appointed, which will have charge of the campaign. It is as follows: E. J. O'Brien, Frank A. Geber, J. William Klapheke, Judge Matthew O'Doherty, E. J. Bosler, J. B. Ohligschlager, Robert T. Burke, James C. Murphy, Joseph C. Kirchdorfer, Harry J. Angermeier, Henry Besten, William A. Reisert, Owen Sullivan, George J. Butler, Charles J. O'Connor, John T. Malone, B. J. Campbell, E. J. McDermott, Joseph Hubbuch, Sr., Frank P. Senn and Dr. Irvin Abell.

The Executive Committee met Thursday evening at the K. of C. Hall and effected an organization, and will meet again on Sunday evening at the K. of C. Hall, when an address will be delivered by Col. P. H. Callahan, who will come from Washington for the purpose. All workers and others interested are invited to attend this meeting. Meetings are being held every Monday at the K. of C. Home of parish organizations of the city under the direction of the Membership Committee to build up a large class for the initiation on September 9. Grand Knight John P. Cassilly and Camden R. McAtee, Chairman of the Membership Committee, are giving active attention to the work.

FIRST HOSPITAL UNIT.

Louisville's first Red Cross hospital unit has been organized and its members are anxiously awaiting the call to the front. The organization was perfected by Dr. Lewis S. McMurtry, member of the National Committee of the American Red Cross, and Major Irvin Lindenberger, commander of the unit, and has opened an office at Red Cross headquarters, 619 South Fourth street. It will be known as Hospital Unit D. Even the little children of Louisville have caught the Red Cross spirit, and many of them are among the most valuable workers for the Military Relief Committee, of which Mrs. S. Thruston Ballard is Chairman. So efficient have they become and so earnest in their desire to help that Mrs. Douglas Morton, Chairman of the Sewing Department, has secured a supply of children's scissors and several low tables for their benefit. Two little girls, Nancy Norwood and her sister, of 1410 South First street, came into Red Cross headquarters with a contribution of $5.50, which they and their little friends made selling flowers and lemonade at a street stand. They have promised to organize a handkerchief club and work for the Red Cross regularly. An instance of the high estimation in which the Louisville Chapter of the Red Cross is held is found in the fact that the Woman's Auxiliary Board of the Home of the Innocents has just given the Military Relief Committee 1,000 sheets in appreciation of what the public has done for the Home of the Innocents. Those who made this personal gift are Mrs. Charles T. Ballard, who is Chairman of the Women's Auxiliary Board; Miss Adelia Bangs, Miss Mattie White, Mrs. Sam Boyle, and Mesdames Marion Taylor, A. T. Hert, Edward Altsheler, John Middleton, Charles Claggett, Cuthbert Thompson, George Clark, Powhatan Woolridge, Robert Bingham, Baylor Hickman, Edward Ferguson, Harry Grinstead, W. M. Bullitt, Will Eddie Ryan, Guy Warren and Meade Robinson.

FRANKFORT.

Mrs. Caroline Boland Weitzel, aged seventy-five, for many years a resident of Frankfort and widely known, died Friday night of last week after an illness of two years. Her husband acquired the Capital Hotel thirty years ago, and Mrs. Weitzel and her children operated it until it was destroyed by fire this spring. In spite of her illness Mrs. Weitzel took great interest in plans in rebuilding the structure. She is survived by two daughters and seven sons, Misses Carrie and Amelia Weitzel, Councilman Ed Weitzel, George Weitzel, former Minister to Nicaragua; Lieut. Harry Weitzel, of the Marine Corps, and Nicholas, Boland, Joseph and Bradley Weitzel, all of Frankfort. Lieut. Weitzel was the only one absent. Her funeral took place from the Church of the Good Shepherd, and the attendance at the solemn obsequies evidenced the high esteem in which she was held.

STRIKING FEATURES.

St. Columba's church annual lawn fete will take place August 8 and 9, and should draw a record breaking attendance. The "Bride of Iona's" presence is attracting wide attention, while the Jug Band in Iona village, the St. Columba quartet and the St. Elizabeth drill team are some of this year's new features which will prove great drawing cards. Many beautiful prizes have been donated and euchre and lotto will be played afternoon and evening. Both evenings the ladies will serve another of their bounteous suppers from 5 to 7 o'clock, and for all there will be a supply of soft drinks. Electric lights have been arranged for and the grounds will be brightly illuminated.

IRELAND

Sir Horace Plunkett Unanimous Choice For Convention Chairman.

Ninety-Two Delegates Present Wednesday at Opening Session.

Press Representatives Excluded and Nature of Business Is Unknown.

CONSTITUTION FOR ALL IRELAND

An official report of the Irish convention given out in London on Wednesday night says:

"After the opening address by Chief Secretary Duke, presiding, a committee was appointed for the purpose of advising the convention on the selection of a Chairman. It was announced that the committee unanimously recommended the appointment of Sir Horace Plunkett as Chairman, and Sir Francis Hopwood as Secretary. The convention unanimously adopted the committee's recommendation and adjourned until Thursday. Ninety-two delegates were present."

Associated Press dispatches from Dublin state that the convention which is to attempt to reach a solution of the Irish problem was opened Wednesday morning at Regent House, Trinity College. Long before 11 o'clock, the hour for the opening, a large crowd packed College Green to watch the arrival of the delegates. John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, and Joseph Devlin, one of his prominent party associates, were among the early arrivals. Protestant and Roman Catholic clergymen arrived soon afterward, followed by representatives of public organizations, trades and labor union councils, who came in groups. At the appointed hour all the delegates had taken their places in the assembly hall. There was a noticeable lack of enthusiasm among the spectators. Joseph Devlin was the only delegate who was cheered.

No press representatives were present at the convention and the exact nature of the business discussed is therefore not known. Sir Horace Plunkett, however, is credited with the suggestion that the drafting of the constitution should proceed as for all Ireland, thus leaving Ulster to see what she is really faced with before she objects.

In the opinion of a leading official, given in a talk with a correspondent, it will take less than a week to decide whether the effort to deal with the Irish question by the body is to prove abortive. On the other hand, it is known that the Government was influenced in choosing the place of meeting by the fact that it would be able to retain occupancy for more than three months of the place selected.

The Ulster Unionists plan to form an organized group, with the Chairman and Secretary probably the Marquis of Londonderry, and to consult the various existing Ulster Unionist organizations during the proceedings. The exact number of the members of the convention is uncertain in view of the action of some County Councils which have asked their Chairmen, invited to attend ex-officio, not to accept the invitation. The total, however, is expected to be about ninety-four. No hostility toward the convention is being manifested, as the Sinn Feiners simply ignore it.

William O'Brien, who opposes the make-up of the convention, complains that the Earl of Dunraven—"that great Irishman to whom Ireland is more indebted than any other living man for the glorious termination of the Irish Agrarian war"—has not been invited to attend the convention. This omission he attributes to the Redmond party. O'Brien describes as the crowning blunder the decision not to allow public criticism of or reference to the convention while it is sitting.

ASK UNITED STATES AID.

Two communications addressed to the President and Congress of the United States, containing pleas by the Sinn Feiners in Ireland for American aid in their demand for absolute independence from England, were left at the White House on Monday by Irish representatives. One document is signed by Patrick McCarten, "on behalf of the Provisional Government of the Irish Republic." The other is a facsimile of an appeal signed by twenty-six officers "of forces formed independently in Ireland to secure the complete liberation of the Irish nation," urging aid as a fulfillment of the democratic principles enunciated in President Wilson's address to the new Russian republic. Both are dated at Dublin, June 18, 1917.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.

Resolutions by Representative Kennedy, of Rhode Island, proposing that President Wilson express to Great Britain for America the hope that the future government of Ireland be submitted to a vote of the Irish people; and by Representative McLaughlin, of Pennsylvania, to direct the State Department to make representations to Great Britain for establishment of an Irish government like that of Canada, were introduced Wednesday in the House.

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FOR YOUR BOY.

While much is being done for the bodily and physical comfort of our boys who have joined the colors, we would suggest to parents that their spiritual welfare be not overlooked. This will be best served by special prayers and masses that God may watch over and protect them, sending them home safe and victorious. The sacrifice for only one mass will bring peace and joy beyond all expectations.

BUY THEM OUT.

In the Catholic Sentinel a suggestion for the solution of the Irish difficulty has been made which is worthy of consideration if the convention of all parties proves a failure. It is that the minority in Northeast Ulster be bought out and removed from the country of which they refuse to form an integral part. They are interlopers in the first place, and it is a monstrous crime against democracy that a minority of one-fifth should be able to block forever the legitimate aspirations of a people.

HAVE LITTLE HOPE.

There is little hope now that the change of Chancellors in Germany means an opening for peace. Bethmann-Hollweg was an outspoken advocate of fighting to the end. His successor is expected to follow the formula given out last week, which means that Germany will still strive for victory. The abandonment of Erzberger by the Centre party indicates that his peace programme has failed completely. The crisis in Germany has passed apparently without bringing peace nearer. As the True Voice says, we know little enough of what is happening in Germany at this time. Of conditions there we know practically nothing. That there is a strong undercurrent in Austria setting toward peace seems certain. It was from Austria that Erzberger obtained his inspiration to begin a peace movement in Germany. His failure indicates that conditions are much better in Germany than in Austria and that hope of ultimate victory is still strong there.

The fact that the efforts of Erzberger secured no encouragement among the Catholics of France and that Cardinal Mercier, of Belgium, directed a letter against his programme, while even in Switzerland it was received with suspicion, shows that the contending nations are not yet ready to think seriously of peace. The Allies feel that the entrance of the United States into the struggle assures them of victory and they will not be satisfied with any peace that does not guarantee them reparation for at least a portion of the sacrifices they have made. Germany still refuses to consent to a peace without annexations and indemnities. It is only when hope of victory has been abandoned by her leaders that peace even on the basis of the status quo will be considered. Under these conditions we need not expect an early peace The war will go on until exhaustion or an overwhelming defeat forces the vanquished to ask for terms. When that will come no one can say. One thing is certain: We must prepare to wage war for at least two years. Peace may come before that time; it may come suddenly when surface indications lead us to expect it least. But at present the prospects are that peace is still far off.

EMBARGO ON NEUTRALS.

President Wilson's embargo policy is to ration the European neutrals with unprecedented rigor and cut off the shipment into Germany of all supplies save enough food for the women and children of the enemy empire. The President, according to administration officials, stood out sternly against the proposals of the Allies to shut all food out of Germany. When the embargo policy was discussed with the Balfour commission President Wilson insisted on humanitarian grounds that the neutral European countries be permitted to export to Germany their dairy products. He was quoted as asserting that the United States would not be a party to any policy that would result in starving the women and children of Germany. He finally exacted an agreement with the Balfour Commission that the European neutrals be allowed to sell dairy products to Germany in exchange for German coal.

In order to obtain American products the neutral countries will be required to demonstrate to inspectors representing the United States and the Allies that no supplies are being exported to Germany save the dairy products allowed. Likewise the neutrals will be required to account for the coal they receive from Germany and for the food sent in exchange. In addition the United States and the Allies will not permit the exchange of dairy products for coal unless the neutrals enter into an arrangement with Germany under which they can guarantee the distribution of their food to only the noncombatant population of the empire. All food which would furnish subsistence to the German army is to be shut out of Germany by the neutrals before they will be allowed to obtain American supplies.

Much is being said of the sons of rich men who failed to enlist but are seeking commissions at instruction camps with the view of receiving big salaries and being placed over men long in the service. For us we look to the men who entered the ranks as privates and will work their way up through daring and ability. They make the real soldiers.

"Prohibition" is all right for those who want it. Those who do not, however, should not have it forced upon them. Personal liberty is the birthright of free people, and only the people themselves in a democracy have the right to curtail that liberty.

"When knighthood was in flower" as far as the Knights of Luther are concerned was in the days before our nation entered the war. This bitter anti-Catholic society's knightly valor in those good recruiting days seems to have "melted into thin air."

The general intention of the Sacred Heart League for the month of August is "Our Workingmen After the War."

ANARCHY NOT AMERICAN.

The Toledo Record is of opinion that the sentencing of the two notorious anarchists, Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman should have a wholesome effect on those who have exaggerated notions of the rights of individuals to thwart the settled war policy of the nation. Those in doubt should give the Government the benefit of the doubt. It is more prudent as well as more patriotic than a course of defiance. These two prisoners did not recognize the boundless opportunity the United States offers for political reforms through legitimate agitation and legislation. They protested against all government and all law and fostered disobedience and violent rebellion. They refused to see that when they convinced a majority of the people that their political views were right they could change the whole face of government. These revolutionists might have pursued their shameless career without interruption in time of peace. They presumed too much on their ability to trifle with treason in time of war without crossing the danger line. Their punishment under law is the logical result of their unbridled propaganda of lawlessness and should have a salutary effect on their misguided followers.

TURNED OUT STRONG.

Last Sunday morning St. Peter's church presented an inspiring sight when the members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society filled the body of that large edifice and made their general communion. Rev. Edmund Kaiser, O. M. C., the pastor, sang the high mass, and a most forceful and instructive sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Huber. The general meeting at the Knights of Columbus Hall was largely attended, when many new members were received into the society by President John A. Doyle. Secretary Bohan read the reports of the conferences, and the statements submitted by the various committees showed that increased work was being done for the poor and unfortunate. Judge Matt O'Doherty delivered an address on "Charity" that was enlightening and received the closest attention.

CHANGE FOR BETTER.

His friends throughout the city and diocese will be elated to learn that there has been a favorable change in the condition of Rev. Father Weatermann, pastor of St. Mary's, Eighth and Cedar, who has been ill and confined to his residence. Though still unable to attend his parish duties, he is recovering and was able to say mass this week.

LAWN FETE.

The annual lawn fete for the benefit of St. Charles Borromeo church will be given next Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon and evening on the church grounds, Twenty-seventh and Chestnut. There will be euchre and lotto each afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and an excellent supper will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Members of the congregation will see that all who attend enjoy themselves.

COMING EVENTS.

July 29—Outing of the Bandana Democratic Club at Klondyke Camp.

July 30—Annual A. O. H. picnic at Phœnix Hill Park.

July 30—St. Martin's church picnic, on church grounds, Shelby and Gray.

July 31 and August 1—Annual lawn fete for St. Charles Borromeo church, afternoon and night.

Aug. 1—Annual picnic of Mackin Council, at Summers Park.

August 6—Euchre and lotto at St. Patrick's school hall.

August 7—Moonlight musicale by Trinity Council on steamer Pilgrim.

August 8 and 9—Annual lawn fete for St. Columba's church, on church lawn, Thirty-fifth and Market.

August 16—Annual reunion and picnic of St. Leo's church at Thornsberry's Grove, Highland Park.

August 20-21—Lawn fete for St. Patrick's school building fund, on school grounds, Sixteenth and Market.

August 21-22—Annual festival of St. William's church, afternoon and evening.

SOCIETY.

Miss Adelia Powers was last week the guest of Mrs. Estelle Kelley at Salem, Ind.

Miss Marian Bisig has been visiting her cousin, Miss Christine Kaelin, at St. Matthews.

Mrs. Mattie Meaney has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. L. G. Shehan, at Bardstown.

Mrs. Carl Bartley had as her guest the past wek her sister, Miss Grace Whalen, of New Haven.

Mrs. John Dolan, who visited her parents at Dayton, Ohio, has returned to her home in Jeffersonville.

Rev. Father Vantroostenberghe was among those from this city who were sojourning at West Baden Springs this week.

Miss Mary Decoursey, Highland Park, entertained with a barn dance in honor of her guest, Miss Lucille Baker, of Lexington.

John T. Malone will leave soon to join Mrs. Malone and children, who are spending the summer at their cottage at Rosedale, Mich.

Misses Margaret and Katherine Hines, of Jeffersonville, and their brother, Laurence Hines, of St. Louis, as a visitor the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gruber were in New York City last week, seeing the sights and attending the roof gardens and fashionable watering places.

Mrs Walter E. Glover returned Saturday from spending a week in Michigan, and will leave next month to join her daughter, Miss Marie Glover, in New York.

Mrs. Frank W. Smith announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Nell Smith, to Joseph Bernard Ward, of New Orleans. The marriage will be solemnized in the early fall.

The marriage of Miss Magdalena Metz and Albert A. Smith, who are well known in New Albany, was solemnized with nuptial mass at Holy Trinity church on Wednesday morning. Many friends witnessed the ceremony and extended hearty congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Francis have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Edna Francis, to Grover C. Prewitt. The ceremony was performed Thursday evening, July 19, by the Rev. Father Schuhmann, of St. John's, in the presence of the two immediate families.

COUNTRY CHICKEN SUPPER.

Those who would spend a really enjoyable day should not miss the old-fashioned country picnic and chicken supper to be given by the people of Holy Trinity church next Tuesday at St. Matthews. For two weeks they have been preparing for this day and for which they will have 500 spring chickens. There will be music, refreshments and a $10 gold gate prize. A novel and pleasing feature will be the patriotic reception by Roy Keal as Uncle Sam and Miss Evelyn Bauer as the Goddess of Liberty. Cars will leave the Jefferson street interurban station every fifteen minutes, and after 2 o'clock there will be extra service from the city limits, all cars stopping at the grounds.

INJURY CAUSED DEATH.

Following injuries received in a fall two months ago in Jeffersonville when a building upon which he was working collapsed, Joseph P. Flaherty, thirty years old, living at 1643 West Oak street, died at noon Monday at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital. His right leg was crushed in the accident and was later amputated A week ago blood poisoning set in and he sank rapidly. He is survived by a wife and daughter, two brother, Edward and Kenny Flaherty, and two sisters, Miss Pearl Flaherty and Mrs. Owen Bohannon. The body was taken to Stithton for burial.

HARD TO FILL.

Bishop McFaul will be sadly missed at the Catholic Federation convention in Kansas City next month. He was an inspiration to the cause of Catholic Federation, and did more for the success of the organization than any other man. His place will be hard to fill.

LEXINGTON.

Catholics of Lexington and Fayette county held a mass meeting at the Lexington Opera House Tuesday night as the inauguration of a campaign to raise $1,500 as Lexington's portion of the million-dollar fund for war work in army camps to be raised under auspices of the Knights of Columbus.

A WARNING.

Under the heading, "A Warning," the Cincinnati Catholic Telegraph prints a letter from the Rev. Fatheer E. P. Hickey, of Middletown, Ohio, and the response of the Rev. Father Daniel A. Driscoll, of Louisville, which will be enlightening to the people of this city and State. They are as follows:

The following self-explanatory letter was yesterday received from Rev. E. P. Hickey, pastor of Holy Trinity church, Middletown, Ohio, and should serve as a warning against the deceptive representations made by the Louisville reverend (?) gentlemen:

"A short time ago, a colored gentleman, giving his name as 'Rev. O. Singleton,' called on us to solicit aid for colored children under his charge. He showed me pass-books with recorded donations from a number of priests and laymen in different parts of this archdiocese, as well as many others from elsewhere. His plea was that he was dependent on these small donations for the furtherance of his work, which he stated was to care for colored orphans and children without good homes, and later on to place them in good homes, after they had learned various trades, etc.; that he could not appeal to or get help sufficient from his own people; that he did not aim at a house to house collection, but only solicited help from prominent people, who might assist him a little. His 'institution,' he stated, is in Louisville, and he said that he frequently conferred with the Catholic Bishop there (he did not mention Bishop O'Donaghue's name) about transferring Catholic children, and that the Bishop and priests always aided him very much. I wrote to the Bishop's secretary, Rev. D. A. Driscoll, for some confirmation of Singleton's statements and received the following reply:

"'Dear Father: The colored reverend gentleman, Rev. O. Singleton, concerning whom you wrote, is, according to the city directory, Superintendent of an institution called the "National Home Finding Society for Colored Children." Until I received your letter I did not know that there was such an institution in Louisville, hence my inability to send you the desired information at once. Upon inquiry I learned from two priests, who have worked for some time among the colored people here, that Singleton is out canvassing more in his own interest than in behalf of the poor colored children. The 'home,' according to one of them, is strictly non-Catholic, and as far as he know had never taken care of a Catholic colored child. The same priest advised against lending any aid or support toward it whatever. The Bishop knows nothing of the work that the Rev. Singleton is doing, but remembers that he did call once to see him.'

"As this man may continue to circulate among our archdiocesan parishes, I deemed it best to acquaint you with these facts; and, if you think it well, you might announce that Singleton is not entitled to Catholic assistance. Very sincerely, E. P. Hickey."

BARRY HEADS ARMY STAFF.

Major Gen. Thomas H. Barry, U. S. A., commanding the Central Department, with headquarters at Chicago, is slated to succeed Major Gen. Hugh L. Scott, U. S. A., as Chief of Staff of the United States army. The tip has gone forth from high offices that Gen. Barry will succeed to the highest post in the military service when Gen. Scott reaches the age of retirement in September. Major Gen. Leonard Wood, now in command of the Southeastern Department, with headquarters at Charleston, S. C., and Major Gen. J. Franklin Bell, in command of the Eastern Department at New York, are the only two officers in the army who outrank Gen. Barry. Both have served as Chief of Staff.

Prior to President Wilson's appointment of Gen. Scott as Chief of Staff, Gen. Barry was spoken of in the highest military circles as the man for the place, and the fact of his disappointment leads many now to the conclusion that he is to reach his ambition. Gen. Scott will reach the age of retirement on September 22, when he will be sixty-four years old. He has been in the army since 1876, and is a member of the Mission to Russia. He is a Kentuckian. Gen. Barry is a New Yorker, and is sixty-two years old. The description generally applied to him is that he is "firm, opinionated, gruff, inexorable, one of the quickest minds in the service." He has been pronounced a fine type of an obstinate soldier. He served with the China relief expedition in 1900, and marched up from Taku fort to the relief of the legations at Peking. He was commander of the Cuban pacification expedition in 1906 and was Chief of Staff of the Philippines division for a year, beginning in November, 1900.

CHURCH PICNIC.

All arrangements have been perfected for St. Martin's church picnic, which will be held on the church grounds at Shelby and Gray next Monday afternoon and evening, and everybody who attends is guaranteed a jolly good time. Meals will be served by thee ladies of the parish, there will be many and varied amusements, good music and fun for everybody. In the afternoon there will be euchre and lotto games for the grown-ups and for the children a committee has arranged games, for which prizes will be given to the successful ones. Admission will be free.

MOONLIGHT MUSICALE.

Trinity Council, Y. M. I., will give a moonlight musicale on the steamer Pilgrim Tuesday evening, August 7, and in addition to the dancing programme have secured some of Louisville's foremost talent for the musicale. The boat will leave the foot of First street at 8:30 and the Committee of Arrangements guarantees a pleasant evening to those who attend.

SUPPER A FEATURE.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. John's church will give their annual lawn fete on the church grounds, Clay and Walnut streets, next Tuesday afternoon and evening, and have announced as a special feature that supper will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Euchre and lotto in the afternoon at 2:30 and in the evening at 8.

HIBERNIAN DIRECTORY

DIVISION 3.

First and third Fridays, Hibernian Home, 1818-1820 Portland.
President—John M. Riley.
Vice President—Tim O'Leary.
Recording Secretary—John Martin.
Financial Secretary—John J. Broderick.
Treasurer—Daniel J. Dougherty.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Pat Begley.
Sentinel—Thomas Noone.

DIVISION 4.

Meets second and fourth Mondays, Bertrand Hall, Sixth street.
President—Thomas Lynch.
Vice President—John J. Barry.
Financial Secretary—Thomas J. Langan, 734 West Oak.
Recording Secretary—William P. McDonogh.
Treasurer—John F. Burke.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Thomas Dignan.
Sentinel—M. J. McDermott.

CATHOLIC HONORED.

President Wilson recently sent to the Senate the nomination of Constantine J. Smyth, of Nebraska, to be Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, to succeed Chief Justice Seth Shepard, who resigned. Justice Smyth was born in Ireland in 1859, and is a graduate of Creighton University, where he served as professor of the law of quasi-contracts, partnership, code pleading and Federal practice, and has been associate dean of the law school of that institution.

DEPLORES WAR EXTENSION.

Pope Benedict addressed the Sacred College Tuesday in answer to greetings from it on the eve of his name day. The Pontiff spoke feelingly of the conditions brought about by the war, with its atrocities and destruction, and deplored the extension of the struggle.

FEAR FOR HIS EYES.

Raymond Duble, who was seriously burned last week by ammonia when a tank burst at the National ice cream factory on East Broadway, has been removed to the home of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Duble, in Jeffersonville. It is feared that he suffered permanent injury to his eyes.

BURNS PROVE FATAL.

Tuesday the home of J. Ekro Rapior, Vice President of the Bank of New Haven, was cast in deepest gloom when his little daughter Sarah, four years old, sustained burns which resulted in her death a few hours afterward. While playing with a toy street car, lighted with a candle, her clothing caught fire, and all efforts to save the child were futile. For the bereaved family there is sincere and widespread sympathy.

HURT BY FALL.

Miss Margaret Finnegan, who fell from a car on Friday evening of last week and has since been seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Finnegan, in the Highlands, was reported improving on Thursday and thought to be out of danger.

CARDINAL TO SOLDIERS.

Cardinal Gibbons, on his eighty-third birthday on Monday, sent the following message to the young Americans about to be enrolled in the new national armies:

"Be Americans always. Remember that you owe all to America, and be prepared, if your country demands it, to give all in return.

"And," he added, "I am sure they will bring honor and credit to the country of their birth or adoption."

The Cardinal received a large number of telegrams from all sections of the country congratulating him.

WINNING NEW PATRONS.

Knowledge of the many advantages Fontaine Ferry Park offers has gradually resulted in numbers of picnic parties selecting this beauty spot for all day outings, with the pleasing result of winning new patrons daily. All over the park there are diverting features, and daily Paulsen's Military band renders two free concerts. In the theater next week a high class bill will be presented, with M'lle Theo and company presenting a distinct novelty in vaudeville, the four other numbers being very clever.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

Everything is in readiness for Mackin Council's annual outing next Wednesday at Summers' Park. The committee has arranged a programme that will make things enjoyable for the crowd. There will be music and dancing, games for the children, a marshmallow eating contest for the ladies, a baseball game betwen Mackin's regular team and a team composed of the Twin City stars, a tug of war composed of the brawny boys of the council, a fat man's race and many other interesting and enjoyable contests. Refreshments will be served and lunch will be there in plenty for those who do not desire to carry a basket. The orchestrola phonograph which the council is awarding will be disposed of at the outing.

GOING AS NURSE.

Miss Agnes Kennedy, of Jeffersonville, but who now is at Battle Creek, Mich., finishing her course, has filed an application at Lexington to go to France as a nurse, and has been accepted. Her sister, Miss Edith Kennedy, has been notified she will depart in about two months.

LAWN FETE AND EUCHRE.

The members of St. Joseph's Sodality of St. Cecilia's church will give a lawn fete for the benefit of the new school on the evening of Monday, August 6, on the school lawn, Twenty-fifth and St. Cecelia. Euchre will be played, and for those who do not care to play there will be other attractions. An evening of enjoyment is promised all those who attend.

ANNOUNCEMENT

In making my announcement as candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from the Forty-fourth legislative district I wish to call attention to the fact that in 1915 my vote in that district, which is composed of city and county precincts, was larger than that of Gov. Stanley's. My defeat in the general election by 129 votes was accomplished by the importation of many negro repeaters.

JOHN DRESCHER.

PERSONS EXEMPT.

Persons who must be exempted or discharged from the draft by the local boards include:

Officers of the United States, of the States, Territories and of the District of Columbia.

Ministers of religion, students of divinity.

Persons in the military or naval service of the United States.

Subjects of Germany and all other aliens who have not taken out first papers.

Workmen in Federal armories, arsenals and navy yards.

Persons in the Federal service designated by the President for exemption.

Pilots, merchants' marine sailors.

Those with a status with respect to dependents which renders their exclusion desirable (a married man with dependent wife or child, son of a dependent widow, son of a dependent, aged or infirm parent, or brother of dependent orphan child under sixteen years of age).

Those found morally deficient.

Any member of any well recognized religious sect existing May 18, 1917, whose creed forbids participation in war and whose religious convictions accord with the creed.

MEMORY OF O'REILLY.

At the field day of the Massachusetts Chapter of the American Irish Society on August 10, at Hull, a tablet will be erected at the Public Library building in memory of John Boyle O'Reilly, the poet. During O'Reilly's life the building which now is the library was his home.

A. SCOTT BULLITT

CANDIDATE FOR

COUNTY ATTORNEY

Subject to Action of Democratic Primary, August 4, 1917

READ, STOP, THINK

The following extract is from a letter to the present Coroner which appeaaed in various papers:

"In my opinion there is no legal objection to your re-election.

(Signed) "M. M. LOGAN,
"Attorney General."

That is not the question. The question is:

CAN THE PRESENT CORONER LEGALLY HOLD TWO OFFICES AT THE SAME TIME—one under the Civil and one under the Federal Government, and draw $5,000 per year from one and $3,000 per year from the other?

Section 237, Kentucky Constitution, expressly prohibits any such act, and Section 3774, Kentucky Statutes, gives the penalty. VOTE for

DR. H. E. MECHLING

FOR CORONER.

KEEP HIM IN JAIL.

He is the originator of the humanizing idea in the Jefferson County Jail. He established the Foster School to enlighten and reform men and women. Result: The Jefferson County Jail of today has won national renown for its solution of the criminal problem in America. Clean as a pin—standard and at the head of the class—management sane and practical. Press and public say so; but ask anybody—in or out of jail. Vote for CHAS. C. FOSTER for Jailer, Democratic candidate for re-election.

1917 AUGUST PRIMARY 1917

LORAINE MIX

FOR

COUNTY JUDGE

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Party.

1917 August Primary 1917

RUSSELL GAINES

Candidate for
Re-Election

County Surveyor

Subject to Action of Democratic Party

To the Democratic Voters of the City of Louisville:

I do hereby announce my candidacy for the office of JUDGE OF THE POLICE COURT OF THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, subject to the action of the Democratic party primary, August 4, 1917, and respectfully solicit your support.

May 1, 1917. **THOS. E. HALL**

HERMAN STRAUS & SONS Co.

FOURTH AVENUE INCORPORATED MARKET STREET

We Give and Redeem Gold Trading Stamps.

15,000 Yards White and Colored Waist and Dress Materials on Sale

50c Fancy White Voiles 29c

Extra special purchase of about 200 pieces of extra fine grades of White Voiles and Organdies, with woven checks and stripes; also some with silk stripes; these are all regular 50c materials; while they last, your choice, per yard 29c

50c White Pique 35c

20 pieces only on an extra heavy and soft finish White Pique Skirting; these are 36 inches wide; this Pique is well worth 50c a yard; while they last, per yard 35c

25c Underwear Crepe 15c

White Underwear Crepe; of soft French finish grade; 30 inches wide in plain and stripe styles; the regular price is 25c a yard; Monday special, per yard 15c

25c White English Repp 18c

White Repp Suiting; this is a splendid weight forladies' skirts; also for children's suits and dresses; this is a 36-inch width and our regular 25c number; Monday, special, per yard 18c

49c Novelty Sport Fabrics 25c

Special purchase of 150 pieces of novelty sport material; these are stripe combination designs, and a full range of the season's newest colorings; there are values in this special lot up to 49c a yard; while they last, per yard 25c

75c Sport Gaberdines 39c

Special purchase of one lot about 40 pieces of Burton Bros. fine English Gabardines in a beautiful range of new sport styles and colorings; there are stripes and figured designs; if bought in the regular way, this material would sell at 75c a yard; while they last, yard 39c

39c White Organdies 19c

White Organdies; of a fine sheer woven quality in a 40-inch width, and there are only 18 pieces in this lot, and these are good values at 39c; Monday, special, per yard 19c

39c Gabardine Skirting 25c

Gaberdine Skirting in a plain and woven design; these are 36 inches wide and are regular 39c gabardines; Monday, special, per yard ..25c

50c Novelty Dress Voiles 27c

This is an extra special buy of about 200 pieces of extra fine two-thread White Voile, with fancy colored woven stripe and check; all of the colorings are yarn dyed; these materials are all new and desirable styles; they are 36 inches wide and values up to 50c; while they last, yard .27c

Tissues and Voiles 15c

Your choice of over 100 styles of Tissues, Voiles and Organdies; these are floral, figured, Sport and stripe designs, in a beautiful range of colorings to select from; there are values up to 25c in the lot; while they last, per yard 15c

17½c Dress Gingham 12½c

2,000 yards of short mill remnants of Zephyr Dress Ginghams; there are plain colorings, also stripes and plaids and checks; the lengths are up to 8 yards; they sell from the bolt at 17½c a yard; while they last, per yard 12½c

35c Madras Shirting 17c

1,800 yards of mill remnants of Colored Madras Shirting; there are 32 and 36 inches wide in the lot and lengths up to 7 yards, and there are values up to 35c a yard in the assortment; while the lot lasts, per yard 17c

SAM L. ROBERTSON

CANDIDATE FOR

SHERIFF

OF JEFFERSON COUNTY

Subject to Action of Democratic Party. Primary August 4, 1917.

VOTE FOR WORKING PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

M. J. McDERMOTT
For Bailiff of Police Court

Subject to Action of the Democratic Party.

HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

The little entertainment in honor of the ball team was enjoyed by all.

Bring your family, friends and acquaintances to the picnic Monday evening.

Charles McCarty was obligated at the meeting of Division 4 Monday evening.

Tom Langan says that Pat Burke, an ardent rooter for the Bertrands, waited until dark to come home.

Hibernians turned out in large numbers Sunday at the game between the A. O. H. and Bertrands.

State President Deery has issued an official letter urging Indiana Hibernians to assist the war camp fund.

A Ladies' Auxiliary at Bellaire, Ohio, has been organized with a membership of thirty, which will be soon doubled.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Milwaukee is giving a series of lawn and card socials for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Seven members were obligated and twenty-five applications received at the last meeting of Division 1 of Portland, Ore.

Despite the effect of two postponements the euchre and lotto of the Hibernian Social Club was a big success in every way.

The Hibernians of Portland, Ore., will turn out in full force tomorrow at the blessing of the new bell and belfry of St. Clement's church.

Five hundred dollars were knocked off the Hibernian building debt last week at Portland, Ore., and interest on the balance reduced 1 per cent.

Let the picnic be in line with the big St. Patrick's day success. Help the Ladies' Auxiliary with their euchre and lotto in the afternoon and evening.

The fortieth anniversary of the Ancient Order in Portland, Ore., will be celebrated some time in September. Arrangements for conferring the degree work are under way and will bring the old-timers and new ones together.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Greenpoint, N. Y., had a mass celebrated in St. Anthony's church for the spiritual welfare and safe return of Catholics young men sent to the war. Members of the order were present in large numbers.

The Ladies' Auxiliary in Washington are raising a fund of $500 to be presented to Rev. Lewis J. O'Hern, C. S. P., appointed by the Catholic hierarchy in charge of the spiritual welfare of the Catholic soldiers in the concentration camps.

Teams representing Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Syracuse Hibernians will engage in exciting football and hurling matches tomorrow afternoon in Burnett Park at Syracuse. After the games there will be a reception and entertainment for the four teams.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

Manager Sheckler's Mackin team clearly earned their title to second place in the Twin City League Sunday, defeating the Orioles 8 to 3 easily despite the latter's strong lineup. The Champs went on a batting spree against the Imperials, winning pulled up in a 10 to 1 game. Finnegan and Sheehan of the O'Brien clan making home runs. The battle royal of the day was staged between the Bertrands and Hibernians, who met for the first time this season, Managers Wolfe and Murphy and all of their followers accusing each other of praying for rain when the former game was scheduled. The Bertrands fielded sensationally and were only beaten by the sterling pitching of Henry for the A. O. H., who struck out twelve men and was unhittable in the pinches. The final score was 6 to 5. It is rumored that a threat from the Humane Society kept the score down between the K. of C. and Trinity, as the returns showed a final of only 12 to 3. Schedule for tomorrow: Bertrands vs. K. of C., Champs vs. Hibernians, Mackin vs. Imperials, and Trinity vs. Orioles. Standing to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
K. of C.	12	1	.923
Mackin	10	3	.769
Orioles	9	4	.692
Champions	7	6	.538
Imperials	6	7	.462
Hibernians	6	7	.462
Bertrands	2	11	.154
Trinity	0	13	.000

AT ST. PAUL TODAY.

The Louisville club will play today and tomorrow at St. Paul, a double-header being scheduled for tomorrow, and from there will go to Indianapolis for two games before winding up the present trip. The three games at St. Paul will be the hardest task of the entire trip as St. Paul has been a stumbling block for Clymer's Colonels all season and to date has beaten our club seven out of thirteen games. According to the schedule originally drafted the league would finish its season next week, but with the new arrangement games will be strung out to the latter part of September. With this new deal the Colonels will be given another opportunity to catch our Hoosier rivals, who would have won the pennant with the short schedule, as picked by the Kentucky Irish American in April.

TAKING LONG CHANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Oetken, who left here on an automobile tour last week, write Louisville friends that they have gone from Detroit to Windsor, Canada. "Oets'" local friends say he is taking a long chance with a cognomen like his in the land of the Canuck.

VOTE FOR

H. S. McNUTT

FOR

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Subject to Action of Democratic Party. Primary August 4, 1917.

FRANK DACHER

CANDIDATE FOR

CITY TREASURER

Subject to Action of Democratic Party. Primary August 4, 1917.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Denver Council has pledged $10,000 to the military camp fund.

The Alhambra had a successful exemplification Monday night at Buffalo.

Bishop Morris, of Little Rock, has subscribed $250 to the million dollar war work fund.

John D. Crimmins, New York philanthropist and banker, wrote his check for $1,000 for the war camp fund.

Alhambra Council of Worcester, Mass., gave the first degree to a class of 500 candidates, breaking all records for the entire order.

Norwood Council, of Cincinnati, last week forwarded to headquarters the amount assessed on its members for the war fund.

Ex-Gov. Walsh, of Massachusetts, has accepted the invitation of Cincinnati Chapter to be the principal speaker at the Discovery day ceremonies.

Louisville Council is preparing for a grand exemplification of the three degrees on September 9. No applications will be received after August 29.

The $1,000 raised in one day by the Knights of Wichita, Kas., was one of the first contributions toward the million-dollar fund for welfare work for our soldiers.

The council at Columbus, Ohio, had a "call to the colors" meeting Monday night. Fifty of its members are now in service, ready to fight and die for Old Glory.

Since the Fourth of July exemplification Holy Trinity Council of Trinidad, Col., boasts the largest fourth degree per centage of any council in the country—just 40 per cent.

1917 August Primary 1917

CHAS. H. KNIGHT

Candidate For Re-Election

STATE SENATOR

Thirty-Sixth Senatorial District

Subject to Action of Democratic Party.

READ THIS!

All claims against the City pass through the hands of the Auditor.

He is responsible for many thousands of dollars of the people's money.

For such a responsible position in YOUR OWN business what kind of a man would YOU select?

I am now Auditor of several Louisville Corporations paying large taxes and doing many Thousands of Dollars of business Annually and I have handled their business satisfactorily.

I am a business man seeking an office that demands business attention.

EFFICIENCY is the only plank in my platform.

If elected I shall bring experience, competency and industry to serve you.

JOS. L. STEURLE,
Candidate for City Auditor.

1917 AUGUST PRIMARY 1917

CHAS. C. WHEELER

CANDIDATE FOR

COUNTY JUDGE

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Party.

1917 August Primary 1917

Allen E. Smith

CANDIDATE FOR

County Assessor

Subject to Action of Democratic Party.

1917 August Primary 1917

P. S. RAY

CANDIDATE FOR

County Clerk

Subject to Action of Democratic Party

1917 Primary August 4 1917

ADOLPH SCHMITT

CANDIDATE FOR

TAX RECEIVER

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Party

1917 August Primary 1917

R. O. DORSEY

Candidate For

County Commissioner

Primary Saturday, August 4, 1917

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Party

1917 AUGUST PRIMARY 1917

CLAY HALL

Candidate For Re-Election For

Clerk of the Police Court

Subject to Action of Democratic Party.

1917 AUGUST PRIMARY 1917

JAMES D. HEADLEY

FOR

LEGISLATOR

Forty-Eighth Legislative District of Kentucky.

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Party.

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